## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL16-1-000]

Heartland Consumers Power District; Notice of Petition for Waiver

Take notice that on October 5, 2015, Heartland Consumers Power District, on behalf of itself and its customers (Petitioner) filed a petition for waiver of certain of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations implementing section 210 of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (USC 824a-3). Specifically, Petitioner seek waiver of their obligation under 18 CFR 292.303(a) to purchase power directly from Qualifying Facilities, as more fully explained in the petition.

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Comments: 5:00 pm Eastern Time on October 26, 2015.

Dated: October 5, 2015.

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Secretary.

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